

## Message Text

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ACTION STR-04

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7666

INFO USMISSION EC BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY LONDON

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: GATT, ETRD, UK

SUBJ: GATT HANDLING OF UK IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

REF: 75 STATE 297301

1. DURING DISCUSSION WITH GATT DG LONG ON  
OTHER MATTERS, ECOMIN RAISED SUBJECT  
OF NEXT GATT COUNCIL MEETING AND ASKED WHETHER EC  
COMMISSION OR UK HAD NOTIFIED UK DECEMBER MEASURES. LONG  
RESPONDED NEGATIVELY STATING THAT COMMUNITY BEING VERY  
DIFFICULT ON THIS. WE EXPRESSED DISAPPOINTMENT NOTING  
THAT ALTHOUGH US HAD NOT CONSIDERED EMERGENCY MEETING  
OF COUNCIL AS NECESSARY IN DECEMBER, US DID FEEL MEASURES  
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SHOULD BE NOTIFIED, DISCUSSED IN GATT COUNCIL AND KEPT

UNDER CONTINUING REVIEW IN GATT (REFTEL).

2. IN VIEW LONG' S REPORT, MISSION SUGGESTS MAY BE  
DESIRABLE FOR AMBASSADOR DENT TO RAISE MATTER WITH  
SOAMES IN BRUSSELS.

3. CONCERNING DATE NEXT GATT COUNCIL MEETING, LONG  
EXPECTS THIS TO BE DURING WEEK FEB. 16 AFTER  
GATT COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (AMB. MACIEL, BRAZIL, RETURNS FROM  
LDC UNCTAD MEETING IN MANILA.DALE

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